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Sir:

Pursuant to the Notice of Allowance dated April 20, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

A replacement sheet for Figs. 2 and 3 is submitted herewith. Fig. 3 is amended to show Wb (maximum width of the spherical depression) as claimed in claims 22 and 23. The amendment to the drawing conforms to the description at page 9, lines 19-22 of the specification. No new matter is added.

Attachment: Annotated Marked-Up Drawing: Fig. 3
Replacement Sheets: Figs. 1-13, including the correction to Fig. 3